## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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GASTRIC RETENTION SYSTEM

## RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)," for the above application, Applicants respectfully submit herewith a copy of the Declaration for the above identified application properly executed by the inventors.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$130.00, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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